GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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EXTENSION OF SANGAM EXPRESS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to extend Sangam Express 4164/4163 up to Saharanpur which is plying between Allahabad and Meerut;

(b) if so, specify the timeframe;

(c) whether the proposal of extending Sangam Express up to Saharanpur has been received through public representatives and social organizations;

(d) if so, the action taken by the Government in this regard; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI R. VELU)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): Yes, Sir.

(d) & (e): Demands for extension of 4163/ 4164 Allahabad-Meerut Sangam Express from Meerut to Saharanpur have been received but the same has not been possible due to operational constraints such as terminal and path constraints.